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Programme of work of the General Assembly

Schedule of plenary meetings

Note by the President of the General Assembly

Addendum

1. The present document contains a partial programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly for the remainder of the main part of its fifty-sixth session. Additional scheduling of items will be indicated in further addenda.

Date	*Agenda item*
Monday, 3 December a.m.	1. The situation in the Middle East [42]
	2. Question of Palestine [41]
p.m.	Causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa [48]
Tuesday, 4 December a.m. and p.m.	Causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa [48]
Wednesday, 5 December a.m. and p.m.	Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family [108]: plenary meetings devoted to volunteering to mark the closing of the International Year of Volunteers
Thursday, 6 December a.m.	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations [21]
Monday, 10 December a.m.	1. Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit [17 (g)]
	2. Return or restitution of cultural property to the countries of origin [33]

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Date	*Agenda item*
p.m.	1. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]
	2. Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Tuesday, 11 December a.m.	1. Building a peaceful and better world through sport and the Olympic ideal [23]
	2. Multilingualism [32]
	3. Support by the United Nations system of the efforts of Governments to promote and consolidate new or restored democracies [35]
	4. The situation in Central America: procedures for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [44]
	5. Towards global partnerships [39]
Wednesday, 12 December a.m.	Reports of the Sixth Committee
p.m.	Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]
Friday, 14 December a.m.	The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict [37]

2. Inscription in the list of speakers for the items listed in the present document is open. For inscription, please call 963-5063.

3. Representatives are reminded to submit draft resolutions sufficiently in advance so that Member States will have adequate time to examine them. Furthermore, should a draft resolution have programme budget implications, additional time will be required by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions and the Fifth Committee to review those implications before the draft resolution is acted upon by the General Assembly.